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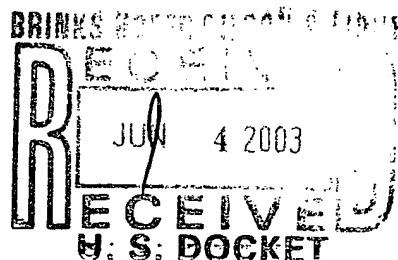
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Thin-film magnetic head appropriately suppressing side fringing and method for fabricating the same

Preliminary Class

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Inventors KIYOSHI SATO, TOSHINORI WATANABE, HIDEKI GOCHOU, KIYOSHI KOBAYASHI, TORU TAKAHASHI, AND HISAYUKI YAZAWAL			
Title of Invention THIN-FILM MAGNETIC HEAD APPROPRIATELY SUPPRESSING SIDE FRINGING AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME			

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In re Application of:)	
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Serial No.: 09/802,314)	T. Chen
Filing Date: March 8, 2001)	
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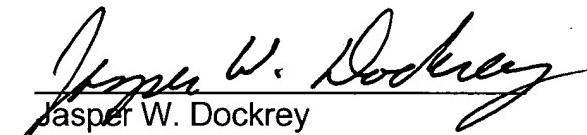
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